## TWELFTH CUP RACE SERIES.

BLEVENTH ATTEMPT TO TAKE TROPHY AWAY FROM US. .

Pifty Years—Changes in Types Since the First Contest Was Sailed—Watson Has Designed Four of the Challengers.

The twelfth series of races for the Ameron's Cup will begin this week. The America the Cup in 1851 and since the Cup has made an international challenge trophy there have been eleven challenges. Ten times the Cup has been raced for by yachts of foreign countries and now the eleventh ittempt to take it away is to be made. Then the America won the Cup she sailed inst a fleet. The Cup was then offered a race between yachts of all nations, be called without time allowance. The was around the Isle of Wight, and the America, owned by members of the New York Yacht Club, won. Some years afterward the Cup was deeded to the New York Yacht Club to be held as a perpetual challenge cup, and after fifty years the slub still holds the trophy. In 1870 the first challenge was received

or the Cup from James Asbury, and he ught because he had beaten some American schooners, that visited England, with his yacht, the Cambria. that he would have no trouble winning the Cup. He had to sail against a fleet of yachts and nished a long way back in the bunch. The Magic was the winner. Mr. Asbury on me again the next year and this time he induced the New York Yacht Club to change the conditions of the match. A series of races was arranged and the courses were to be those of the New York Yacht Club, starting of Owl's Head to the lightship and back and twenty miles to windward return, starting outside Sandy Hook. English yacht was the Livonia. She two races to the schooner Columbia and then won one race through the Columbia reaking down. The Sappho was selected to take the Columbia's place and she won the next two races and saved the Cup.

Two attempts were then made by the Canadians to win the trophy, the challengers being the Countess of Dufferin and the Atalanta. These matches were the best two out of three races and the courses were the same as for the former match. In 1885 the Genesta came over. She was owed by the Galatea and Thistle. These three yachts went home without the Cup. In 1893 the Valkyrie was the representative of the Royal Yacht Squadron and in this match the courses were from Scotland Lightship. The first race was to windward a triangular course of thirty miles. The Valkyrie lost as did the next Valkyrie, which visited these waters in 1895. This time the match was made the best three in five races and the start was from Sandy Hook Lightship. The courses alternated, to windward and return and triangular, and the Valkyrie lost. Shamrock I. raced under similar conditions in 1899 and the second Shamrock is to try this week.

George L. Watson, who has designed four of the yachts that have challenged for the America's Cup, first attracted attention when the ten-ton cutter Madge of his design, was brought to this country in 1881. The Madge was brought over on the deck of the steamer Devonia. She belonged to Coats, of Paisley and had been sent to test her sailing qualities against the Amer-ican yachts. She was built in 1879 and had a very successful career. The Madge was a typical English cutter, built under a rule that put an excessive tax on beam and conquently she was deep and narrow. Mr. ful racing yachts for some time, discovered that lead and canvas were important factors toward speed and all his experiment were working on this line. In this country the beamy, shoal-draught skimming dish boats that sailed over the water rather than through it. The Madge was \$8 feet 6 inches on the water line; her beam was only 7 feet 9 inches; her draught was 8 feet 4 inches and on the bottom of her keel was bolted ten tons of lead. Her length over all was 46 feet 3 inches and her depth of hold

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There were in these waters two very fast boats of the "skimming dish" type—the Schemer and the Wave. The Schemer was 39.05 feet over all, 37.17 feet on the water line and 14.5 feet boam. The Wave was 41.3 feet over all, 38.7 feet on the water line and 14.11 feet beam. Each was fitted with a centreboard and all the ballast was stowed inside. It will be noticed that while the three yachts were very nearly the same length on the water line, the Madge had only half the beam of the two American yachts. The idea of the Madge being able to beat the American boats was ludicrous in the minds of many yachtsmen here, but she did and the result was that designers gave more draughts to their boats and began to use more outside ballast. Several compromise cutters were built, one of them, the Bedouin, being in the big class and proving very fast.

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When the challenge for a Cup race was received in 1885 on behalf of the Genesta, a cutter with 15 feet beam to 81 feet water line length and 13 feet 6 inches draught, two yachts were built to defend the Cup. This was really the first extraordinary effort made in Cup defence. For all races prior to this the best yacht in the fleet had been chosen, but from 1885 a defender—sometimes more than one—has been built to meet the challenger. The late Edward Burgess designed the Puritan and he gave her 23 feet beam, 8 feet 2 inches draught to 50 feet water line. The other defender was the Priscilla, designed by A Cary Smith, and on a water line of 85 feet he gave her 22 feet 5 inches beam and 7 feet 9 inches draught. The Priscilla easily beat the last defender, the Mischief, and the Puritan when the trial races were sailed defeated the Priscilla, Bedouin and Mischief. Later on the defeated the Genesta in the Cup ontest.

The next challenger was the Galatea, a cutter designed by J. Beavor Webb, the designer of the Genesta. Her waterline length was 86 feet and she was 15 feet beam and 13 feet 3 inches draught, so that in proportion to her length she was narrower than the Genesta. Burgess built the Mayflower and made a big change in his model. With five feet more length on the water-line than the Puritan, he reduced the beam to 19 feet 6 inches, increased the draught to 9 feet and put on more outside ballast.

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It was in 1887 that George L. Watson first tried for the Cup and he designed the Thistle, which in model was a wide departure from the popular English type. On a water line length only a few inches longer than the previous challenger, he increased the beam more than five feet to 20 feet 3 inches and the draught was 13 feet 9 inches, six inches more than the 20 feet 3 inches and the draught was 13 feet 9 inches, six inches more than the Galatea and three inches more than the Galatea and three inches more than the Genesta. In model the Thistle looked very different from the two straight-stem cutters that had raced in previous years. Her over-all length was 108 feet 6 inches and the bow from the water line curved gracefully to the deck line. Under water the forefoot was cut away and the lead keel was rockered. The Volunteer was built from designs by Burgess to defend the Cup, and, while Mr. Watson had been learning a great deal, Mr. Burgess had not been asleep. He had profited largely by the two races in which his designs were successful and the Volunteer's model showed that he had studied hard. Her water line length was 85 feet 9 inches, her beam 23 feet 2 inches and her draught 10 feet. On deck she weasured 106 feet 3

inches. She had a clipper bow similar to the Thistle and was cut away forward below the water line. When measured it was found that the Volunteer had to allow the Thistle only six seconds in a forty-mile race. The Volunteer won easily and it was six years before there was another Cup conteat.

Lord Dunraven in 1893 brought over the Valkyrie II., another Watson boat, and by that time designers had figured out how to get around the rule of measurement by giving their yachts abnormal overhangs, so that when heeled under the pressure of the wind in their sails the water line length of the yacht would be much longer than when floating on an even keel. Instead of giving them fine, hollow lines forward, the full water line was tried and it is this model that is being used now. The Valkyrie was 85½ feet on the water line and over all she measured 126 feet. She had three inches more beam than Watson's previous challenger, the Thistle, and 16 feet 6 inches draught. The lead, about seventy-five tone, was placed very low and was bulbed in shape.

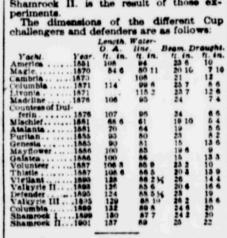
To defend the Cup four yachts were built. Two were designed by Herreshoff. They were the Vigilant, a centreboard boat which drew 14 feet 4 inches and was 26 feet beam, and the Colonia, a keel boat, drawing 15 feet with 24 feet beam. From Boston came the Jubilee, a fin keel craft with a centreboard dropping through the fin, and the Pilgrim, an out-and-out fin keel, drawing 20 feet. All of these boats carried from forty to seventy tons of lead on their keels and had enormous spreads of canvas. The Vigilant was selected to defend the Cup and she defeated the Valkyrie.

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The Columbia was built two years ago to meet the Shanrock I. A little more beam and draught were given her than the Defender, also more lead, which was placed lower. A quicker turn was given to her bliges so that she had a flatter floor to sail on than the Defender and she was able to spread 13,130 square feet of canvas. To try to win the Cup Sir Thomas Lipton had commissioned W. Fife, Jr., to design a boat, and while her general dimensions were very nearly the same as those of the Columbia, her form was very different. She was a full-bodied boat with powerful quarters, but these, while they enabled her to carry a big spread of canvas, retarded her progress through the water and she lost the race. This year Sir Thomas Lipton has brought over another Shamrock, this one designed by Watson. This yacht has more beam and more draught than the Columbia. In model she is very different. She has not a flat floor, but is rounded and while in the dry dock recently she was called a "symphony of symmetrical curves." Mr. Watson made many experiments with models last year and the Shamrock II. is the result of those experiments.

The dimensions of the different Cup challengers and defenders are as follows:



te Win Cup.

QUBENSTOWN, Sept. 21.-Allison V. Armour, the owner of the steam yacht Uto-wana, which is cruising here, says that Sir boat and Mr. Jameson her manager, is the best amateur yachtsman in the world, he Says.

## LAWN TENNIS.

The Wrenn Brothers Beat Larned and Ward After Five Flerce Sets.

The second exhibition lawn tennis match between the Wrenn brothers and Larned and Ward took place yesterday afternoon at the Orange Lawn Tennis grounds, and was finally won by the Wrenns after one of the flercest and most closely contested struggles of the year. The full five sets were required to decide the match and so close were they that no fewer than sixty-four games were played. The exhibition was arranged as a return match asked for by the Wrenns after they were beaten two weeks ago in straight sets, and the Wrenn's success yesterday

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more even light for the players, and a large crowd of spectators was present. Robert M. Miles, Jr., acted as referee and scorer, and play began with the Wrenns serving. The first set was easy for the Crescent A. C. pair, and in the second they held a safe lead all through, finally adding that to their credit. With two sets to one against them, however, the Orange team stuck pluckily at their work, and the third set was closer than either of its predecessors, being finally won by Larned, and Ward, 7—5.

The fourth seat was the best of the day and no fewer than twenty-four games were played in that alone. The serving side won with regularity and the score mounted up evenly. The Wrenns came within a single point of the match when R. D. Wrenn was serving, but a clever cross-court pass by Larned saved the set and it ultimately went to the Orange pair by 13—11. In the last, however, the Wrenns won the seventh game against Larned's service, and the set was theirs by 6—4 soon after.

The Orange pair lobbed a great deal after the first two sets, and at first this play was quite successful. Toward the end, however, George Wrenn began to smash with wonderful speed and accuracy and his cleverness overhead counted heavily in favor of his team. The victory of the Wrenns gives them a record of having won three out of four exhibition matches against the high-class teams. The score:

Exhibition Doubles—R. D. Wrenn and G. L. Wrenn, Jr., beat W. A. Larned and Holcombe Ward, 6—2, 6—4, 5—7, 11—12, 6—4.

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The postponed final matches in the Amackassin Club's lawn tennis tournament, which were held over from last Saturday because of the President's death, were played off yesterday afternoon at North Yonkers. Cragin won the singles easily and with Bostwick he also captured first honors in the doubles, and, as Miss Woodward and Tallant won the mixed doubles, the West Side T. C. contingent won first in all events. The sum mary:

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S. F. Thayer, 7-5, 6-2, 6-3,
Men's Doubles—Final round—Calhoun Cragin and
O. M. Bostwick beat C. C. Kelly and H. A. Tallant,
6-4, 3-5, 6-3, 6-3, 6-2,
Mixed Doubles—Final round—Mise Clyde Woodward and H. A. Tallant beat Miss Marie Mattherson
and L. V. Ledoux, 6-2, 6-3.

Gardiner Wins Target Shooting Champion

ship of New Jersey.

FREEROLD, Sept. 21.—The championship of New Jersey for clay target shooting again changed hands here to-day, when Dr. W. L. Gardiner of Newark won the Essex county c.p. emblematic of the State championship, from Edgar I. Vanderveer of Freehold. The match was shot upon the Freehold Gun Club grounds under splendid weather conditions. Dr. Gardiner broke at targets to Vanderveer's 41, each man shooting at fifty. In the first twenty-five Vanderveer broke 21 targets to Gardiner's 20, but in the second twenty-five Gardiner broke 24 to Vanderveer's 20, which gave him a safe margin of three. Dr. Gardiner, the new champion, is a practising physician of Newark and a member of the South Side Gun Club of that city ship of New Jersey.

ENDURANCE BY RIGHT WINS.

MAKES A NEW RECORD IN THE HOLLY HANDICAP.

Guard in Second Special, Also in Record Time—Cervera, Dr. Elchberg, Mary Worth and Black Dick in Front.

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As further evidence of her magnificent racing qualities, Endurance by Right, J. W. Schorr's Inspector B. filly, won the Holly Handicap for two-year-olds, at five and a half furlongs, yesterday, incidentally establishing a new record for the race and the Gravesend track. Endurance by Right picked up 130 pounds and covered the distance in 1:97, being the easiest kind of a winner by one length. If Woods had not eased her up in the last sixteenth, Inspector B.'s daughter might have smashed the world's record. Because of the heavy impost many in the crowd of 15,000 enthusiasts did not see fit to accept the odds of 6 to 5 offered at first against the filly, so that the price receded a point. But when the race was run the crowd saw readily that a good thing had been allowed to escape.

There were thirteen starters, and outside of Endurance by Right the only other contender to catch big money was William C. Whitney's King Hanover, who was backed down from fives to 7 to 2, second choice. All of the others were at long prices. The start was fair for all and straights way. Endurance by Right rushed out in front, neck and neck with Col. Pepper's Whiskey King, 12 to 1. A gap of three lengths way opened up behind them.

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with King Hanover and Chilton leading the
rest. When the quarter was reached Endurance by Right was still a head better than
Whiskey King, but after that the crack Western filly drew away a bit, only to be caught
again by the Kantaka colt. They were on
even terms as they rounded the turn into the
stretch Whiskey King, hard driven by Odom,
making a bold bid for the lead. But as soon making a bold bid for the lead. But as soon as Woods let the favorite have her head she left Whiskey King as if his legs were tied. Endurance by Right had two lengths the better of it opposite the betting ring, where Woods, seeing that the race was bis, eased the great filly up and she won by one length. Whiskey King, under the whip, was four lengths in front of Chilton, "Pitisburg Phil's" colt, who was half a length before King Han over, Tribes Hill and Grail, needs apart. The best previous time for the race was 1 or 4-5, and he previous track record was 1:07 1-5, made by T. D. Sullivan's Heaper, a three-year-old, with 1:02 pounds up, on May 30 of last year.

The Second Special for three-year-olds and upward, at one mile and a balf, provided another record-breaking performance. Frank Farrell's Blues, who is Blue Girl's full brother, ran the distance yeaterday. The record of the search of

winners. The summar les:

PHAT RACE.

Highweight handicap: for all ages: by subscription of \$10 each, or \$5 if declared; with \$1,000 added, about six furiongs:

George B. Walters's ch. g. Cervera, by Oddfellow —Hennirea, 3, 121 (F'Connor).

J. W. Schorr & Co.'s b. f. Flora Pomona, 2, 112 (Woods)

James Galway's br. c. Belvino, 8, 117 (Turner).

Candle, Ben Howard, Nanine, Connie and Musette also ran in the order named.

Time, 1:11-18.

Betting—Three to 1 and even Cervera, 5 to 1 and 3 to 1 Flora Pomona, 13 to 5 and even Belvino, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1 Candle, 25 to 1 and 5 to 1 to 1 and 40 to 1 and 6 to 5 Musette.

SECOND RACE.

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SECONS RACE.

Handicap steeplechase: for three-year-olds and upward, by subscription of 510 each, or 55 each if declared; with \$700 added; about two miles and a half: W. C. Daly's b. h. Dr. Elebberg, by Candlemas—Nell Swift, 5, 156 (Barry)

Harry W. Smith's b. m. Jessie S. 6, 152 (Carson). 2 Charles Pfiser's ch. g. Bucchanal, 4, 140 (Daylin). 5 Cheraemite, Jim McGibben, and Bullingdon also ran in the order named. Charawind fell.

Time. 5-03.

Betting—Eleven to 5 and 4 to 5 Dr. Elebberg, 30 to 1 and 10 to 1 Jessie S. 4 to 1 and 7 to 5 Bacchanal, 4 to 1 and 7 to 5 Cheraemite and Charawind (coupled), 6 to 1 and 2 to 1 Jim McGibben, 4 to 1 and 7 to 8 Bullingdon.

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SIXTH RACE.

For three-year-olds and upward: selling allowances; by subscription of \$10 each; with \$500 added; one mile and a sixteenth.

W.C. Whitney's bik c. Black Dick, by Sir Dixon—Meredin, 3, 104 (Burns)
P. Bruhns & Co's b. c. Alfred Vargrave, 4, 100 (Mounce)
C. F. Dwyer's b. c. Ethies, 3, 102 (Cochran)

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Pexhall Keene's Stnopt Wins Reyal Berough Handicap.

Special Cable Desparch to THE SUN LONDON, Sept. 21.-The race for the Royal Borough Handicap of 500 sovereigns at the royal Windsor meeting to-day was won by Foxhall Keene's Sinopi.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. LONDON, Sept. 21.-The King's hackney stud, comprising 125 horses, was sold to-day

LEXINGTON, Sept. 21.-The racehorses Commando and Voter of the Keene stables have arrived here and will be taken to the Castleton Stud, where they will doubt-iess spend their remaining days. Commando broke down in the Lawrence Realization Stakes, when he met defeat by The Parader.

At Chicago.

Chicago, Sept. 21.—The racing to-day at Hawthorne was above the ordinary for the season of the year. Seven races were run and practically all were well confested. Summaries:

First Race—Seven furtions—Constellator, 105 (Coburn), 5 to 1, won; Toah, 1015; (Knight), 5 to 2, second; Johany McCartey, 99 (Gormley), 50 to 1, third. Time, 127 %.

Second Race—Five and a half furiongs—Merriment, 112 (Blake), 5 to 1, won; Evening Star, 107 (Dominick), 8 to 1, second; Rag Time, 106 (McIneres), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1107.

Third Race—Sivepichase handicap, short course—Corillio, 113 (C. Johnson), 2 to 1, won; Capt. Conover, 130 (Taylor), 5 to 1, second; Eva Moc, 136 (Gaddy), 8 to 1, third. Time, 2:57.

Fourth Race—One mile; Iroquots Stakes; 31,000 added—Argregor, 113 (Coburn), 5 to 1, won; Cluster, 100 (Steele), 15 to 1, second; St. Marios, 115 (Dominick), 6 to 5, third. Time, 1:41%.

Fifth Race—Six furiongs—George Arnold, 122 (Winkfield), 3 to 1, won; Money Muss, 102 (Dominick), 4 to 1, second Boney Boy, 90 (Scaton), 30 to 1, third. Time, 1:13%.

Sixth Race—One mile and a half—Kentucky Babe, 36 (Bavisson), 5 to 1, won; False Lead, 102 (Gormany, 100), 11 (Time, 1:13%.

Seventh Race—One mile—McChesney, 80 % (Davisson), 9 to 1, won; Uledi, 97 (Knight), 10 to 1, second; Barrack, 105 (Winkfield), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:39 %.

Sr. Louis. Sept. 21.—Delightful weather and a half holiday packed the grandstand at Delmar this afternoon. Summaries:
First Race—Six furlongs—Fairbury. 99 (Lindsey), 2 to 1, won. Fighns Eagle. 90 (Bell), 4 to 1, second. Alene S., 99 (Givens), 3 to 2, third. Time. 116.
Second Race—One intle—Orris. 107 (Dale, 3 to 1, won. John Morton, 103 (Lindsey), 4 to 1, second, W. G. Welch, 107 (Narvaez), 100 to 1, third. Time, 142. wor. John Morton, 103 (Lindsey), 4 to 1, second, W. G. Welch, 107 (Narvaes), 100 to 1, third. Time, 142 by Third Race—Six furiongs—Taipa, 96 (O'Neill), 5 to 5, won; Sambo, 109 (Daie), 6 to 1, second; M. Aruue, 106 (Enos), 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:16. Fourth Race—Six and a half furiongs—Lunar, 106 (Daie), even, won; Fitz Kanet, 92 (O'Connor), 20 to 1, second; Miss Mac Day, 102 (O'Neill), 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:20 2. Firth Race—One mile and a sixteenth—Peaceful, 115 (Daie), 6 to 5, won; Beans, 103 (T. O'Brien), 11 to 5, second; Wall, 93 (O'Neill), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:45 by.

Sixth Race—One mile and 20 yards—Kitty Clyde, 106 (Daie), 3 to 1, won, Guide Rock, 101 (O'Neill), 9 to 5, second, Nekarnis, 101 (Lindsey), 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:44.

Seventh Race—One mile—Marion Lynch, 103 (Enos), 9 to 2, won, Satin Coat, 100 (Bell), 4 to 1, second; Ceylon, 103 (Michaels), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:42 by.

F. M. Taylor's two-year-old colt Utopian In the last race yesterday Jockeys Bull-man, Burns and O'Connor were fined \$50 each for running through the barrier. While at the post for the Holly Handicap yesterday T. C McDowell's Halma colt, The Rival, was severely kicked on the hock. Richard Croker was a visitor to the Graves-end track vesterday. He was surrounded by Tammany politicians all the afternoon, including John F. Carroll, John W. Keiler, Patrick Keenan and Senator P. H. McCarren.

The desire of Frank Erne to have his bout with "Rube" Ferns postponed has not been granted by the officials of the International A. C., of Fort Erie, and the match is to be decided to-morrow night. Both pugilists have been steadily training for the past month and are reported to be in the best of fettle The weight is 142 pounds, and the limit twenty rounds. This will be Erne's limit twenty rounds. This will be Erne's first attempt against a man in the welter-weight division. Despite this fact it is understood that Erne will weigh in the neighborhood of 138 pounds. When he fought Terry McGovern at Madison Square Garden last year he tackled the Brooklyn "terror" below 130 pounds. The result was a defeat for Erne.

Ferns, according to the sports, is a dangerous customer. He recently knocked out Matty Matthews, and lights on the style of Kid Lavigne and McGovern. "Rube" is the favorite in the betting at 100 to 90 and much money is being wagered on the result. The impression prevails that the fray will not last the limit.

Lavigne Will Fight Either McGovern or Roberts.

Roberts.

Kid Lavigne yesterday, through his manager, Billy Roache, issued a challenge to fight Terry McGovern. Lavigne thinks that in view of the fact that McGovern has no prospective engagement and as his proposed battle with Jack Roberts of England, has has been called off, he is entitled to first recognition. For the past four months Lavigne has been in training. The other night at Saginaw, his home, the ex-lightweight champion was tried out and it is said that he showed some of his old-time form. In the event of failure to induce Terry to fight him, Lavigne declares he will cast his lines for Roberts. The Kid is willing to meet the Englishmen in this country or in England.

Jack Roberts Matched to Box Will Curley Again.

Even if Jack Roberts has decided not to meet Terry McGovern in this country the Englishman does not by any means intend to quit the same According to the London Mirror of Life Roberts has signed articles Mirror of Life Roberts has signed articles of agreement to meet Will Curley The battle is to be decided at New Castic, England, on Sept 30. The concitions of the match are. The men will weigh in at 126 pounds, at a o'clock on the day of the fight, the amount of stokes to be \$1.000 a side and a purse. This will be Roberta's first encounter since he was exonerated by a London jury for being responsible for the death of Billy Smith, of America, whose correct name was Maurice Levison.

BASEBALL WORLD.

CHICAGOS WIN SEVENTEEN-INN-ING GAME FROM BOSTONS. Brooklyne Defeat St. Louis and Phila delphias Beat Pittsburgs -New Yorks Too Much for the Cincinnatis -Results

The most remarkable game of the year was played yesterday, the Chicagos winning was played yesterday, the Chicagos winning from the Bostons by a score of 1 to 0 in seventeen innings. The Bostons were the only Eastern team of the National League to lose. The Brooklyns triumphed over St. Louis and the Philadelphias called a halt in Pittsburg's pennant march. The two winners are still tied for second place, 6s points behind Pittsburg. Mathewson pitched one of his strong games and had the Cincinnatia at his mercy, the New Yorks taking a stronger hold on sixth place. The Baltimores won hold on sixth place. The Baltimores won two games from Milwaukes in the American League, Detroit vanquished Boston, Washington drubbed Cleveland twice and Chicago succumbed to Philadelphia. The National League results and standing follow:

New York, 5; Cincinnati, 1.

Brooklyn, 3; St. Louis, 1.

Chicago, 1; Boston, 0.

Philadelphia, 4; Pitteburg, 2.

THE RECORD.

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NEW YORK, 5; CINCINNATT, 1.

CINCINNATI, Sept 21 — Mathewson was on the slab for the New Yorks to-day, and was distinctly "himself" as he kept the Cincinnatts on a wild and fruitless hunt for his curves all through the game. But three times did the Reds find the ball safely. One of these hits was a gift from Murphy, who played badly for Steinfeldt's high fly in the seventh, thereby giving the Cincinnatis their lone tally. The New Yorks the Phillips asfely in every inning except the eighth, but many of the hits went to waste, being unproductive of runs. Just before the game Belbach had a finger split in practice and will probably be out of the game for some time. The score:

NEW YORK.

Murphy, H. O 0 1 0 0
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—3,000.

BROOKLYN, S; ST. LOUIS, 1. ST. LOUIS. 1.

St. LOUIS. Sept. 21—St. Louis dropped another game to the Brooklyne this afternoon Happer twirled for the locals and Donovan for the visitors. The features were a double steal by Burkett and Heidrick in the third, and Dahlen's covering of short he fielding three almost impossible grounders Attendance, 5,000. The score:

ST. LOUIS.

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chicago, 1; Boston, 6.

Chicago, Sept. 21.—Boston and Chicago played the longest game of the season here to-day, struggling desperately for seventeen innings before either side could coore. In the seventeenth Chicago made one run and won the game with only one out. Both pitchers were in rare form, keeping the few hits made well scattered. For Chicago Chiles and Kahoe were the only ones that could touch Dineen and Cooley was the only one of the visitors that could connect with Hughes's curves. It was intended to play two games, but the first was so long drawn out that the second was abandoned. The score:

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Left on bases—Chicago, 11; Boston, 9. Sacrifice hits—Hughes (2), Kahne, Moran. Stolen bases—Lowe, Gannon. Double plays—Kahne and Hickey; McCormick, Chiles and Dexter. First base on balls—Off Hughes, 8; off Dineen, 1. Hit by gitcher—Hickey, Struck out—By Dineen, 2; by Hughes, 14. Umpire—Dwyer. Time—3 hours.

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PHILADELPHIA, 4: PITTSBURG, 2.

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American League AT BALTIMORS -PIRST GAME.

Milwaukee. . . . . 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 6 2 8 1 Baltimore. . . 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 8 3 8 3 Batteries Reidy and Maloney; McGinnity and Robinson. 

N. Y. Ev'g Post. . . 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 - 2 5 8
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Batteries - Root and Lillienstrahl; Barnett and
Piak. in the American League - Notes. 

AT BAYONNE.

Baseball Games To-day. NATIONAL LEAGUE.

West New York F. C. vs. New London, at Wee West New York F. C. vs. New London, at Weshawken.
Hobolien vs. Cuban X Giants, at the St. George
Cricket Grounds.
Lenox A. C. vs. Brighton A. C., at Nassau Park,
Skellys vs. Genuine Cuban Giants, at Skellys'
grounds.
Emeralds vs. St. Raphael's Lyceum, at Van Nest.
Murray Hills vs. Spauldings, at Jasper Oval.
Glenwood A. C. vs. Kingston A. C., at Newark.
Aleris vs. Nationals, at Pahway, N. J.
Northvale F. C. vs. West End A. C., at Northvale, N. J.,
Suburbans vs. South Brother Island at South
Brother Island.

Baseball Notes.

Stephen O'Connor-Warner.

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Joe Kelley says that if the Brooklyns finish
second they will be willing to play a postseason series of games with the Pittsburgs
in Brooklyn and Pittsburg. The Brooklyns
incidentally have the Pirates beaten on this
year's series.

George Carey, who was one of the best
fielding first basemen the game ever saw
when he was an Oriole a few years ago, was
weak with the stick, but he is credited with a
batting average of 319 in the Eastern League
this year.

Large and enthusiastic crowds of students witnessed the opening games for the championship of The Bronx School Interschola suc Athletic Association yesterday morning. At Unionport the teams of Bronx and Adies schools met, the result after an interesting battle being in favor of the former by the score of 16 to 12. Wrenn made three touchdowns and kicked two goals for Bronx, while Charles made two touchdowns and 'OBrien kicked two goals for Adier. At High Bridge the Blair and Manning teams faced each other The game was hotly contested throughout. Neither team was able to score in the first half, but both managed to get a touchdown in the second. Blair, however, was more fortunate in kicking a goal. The score was: Blair, e; Manning, 4. Winters made the touchdown and Martin kicked goal for Blair, and Forney made the touchdown for Manning. Teams representing Kimball and Manhattan opposed each other at West Farms. The game was hard fought, but the Kimball boys had the better of the argument owing to their big advantage in weight. The score was: Kimball, 24: Manhattan, 18.

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PRINCETON, Sept. 21.—The football squad at Princeton was augmented to seventy-five members this afternoon, which makes it one of the largest that has ever been on the Tigers' gridiron. The couches continued to take up almost the entire practice in putting the men through formations. They still kept shifting the players from one position to another. Mills, last year's guard, was placed at full back again. He is a big, heavy man, but handles his weight well and is a fairly good punter. Henry, a sophomore, who played half back on the scrub last fail, is being tried at end. I vays, last year's tackle, reported for the first time and he was also moved to an end position. John Dana, who would have placed the wearers of the blue at guard last year if injuries had not prevented, has not returned to college, and leave, were on the field this afternoon. So eleven, were on the field this afternoon. So eleven, were on the field this afternoon. So also was Hillebrand, the great tackle. These men, together with Lea. Arthur Poe, Kelly and Jesse Riggs, made a coaching staff which is much longer than is usually seen here at this time of the season.

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Cambridge, Sept. 21.—Capt. Campbell of the Harvard team ran through signals for a short time yesterday afternoon at left half back. It is not known that he is to be a candidate for the back field, but this action on his part has caused some speculation. Twelve additional men reported for practice to-day, making the squad number fifty-one. The work looked more like football than it did on the first day of practice. There was more charging for the line men, more punting for the backs and more running down for the ends. Ben Dibblee, head coach last year, and captain of the 'se cleven, assisted Head Coach Reid in the afternoon practice. The most valuable addition to the squad to-day was Robinson, '04, the shot putter and guard on last year's freshman eleven.

Capt. Gould of Yale, has had cause for both resoicing and the reverse, as a result of the first week's practice of the candidates. A giant rush line is assured but there is a dearth of punting material. It is easier, however, to teach men to kick than to make big men out of small ones, and the rush line from tackle to tackle, it is said, will average 205 pounds. Yale seems to be pursuing its policy of last year of developing its men slowly and then to bring them up to the two important games on edge. The coaching outlook has been improved by the appearance of Stillman, a former crack line man, who says he can spend a good deal of time with the eleven. This being the case, it will go a good way toward offsetting the inabi

From Arctic Region.

NEW HAVEN, Sept. 21.—George A. Goss of Waterbury, Tale, '03, has just returned from the Arctic region. Yesterday he had his first practice with the Yale football candidates. He played at tackle. He went on a hunting trip with ten other Yale men, after commencement in June, and the party returned three days ago. They went first to Cape Breton Islands and from there by steamer as far north as Baffin Land, on the northern coast of Hudson Bay. The report that the party had become icebound in the Arctic field, Goss says, was untrue. They all came back in good health.

Hurt in a Serimmage.

BRANFORD POINT, Conn., Sept. 21 .-- Columbia University lost a leading football player in the regular practice of the 'arsity player in the regular practice of the "arsity squad this morning. Harold Townsend went down in a serimmage at the bottom of the heap and cried out that he was hurt. He was found to have fractured the bones of one of his legs between the knee and ankle. He was taken to the Branford Point House, the training quarters of the squad, an "the fracture was reduced by a specialist. Townsend lives in New York city. He is a member of the sophomore class of the academic department.

Football Notes.

The Alis A A would like to hear from teams averaging 145 pounds, with open dates in October or November. Address H A Chandor, Plainfield, N. J.

Cantiste, Pa., Sept. 21—The football season opened here this afternoon. The first game was played on the Indian grounds between Lebanon Valley College and the Indians. The latter won by 28 to 0.

The Artillery football team at Fort Hancock, Sandy Hook, has organized for the season and would be glad to entertain propositions from lesser colleges or Sational Guard teams in the vicinity. Address officer in charge athletics. At a meeting of the Manha'tan College Atherica Association yesterday the following officers were selected for the ensuing year President, John Kean, Vice-President, John Lonagan Secretary, William Cahili Manaser, Sylvester McNamara. The Pennsylvania end, Dr. Armstrong, has been selected as soach, and under him the 'Varsity is showing up very strong this year.

Our message for to-morrow is a special sale of high-grade suitings. Our unfinished Worsted Thibet for coat and vest with a fancy English trousering, to order, \$25. Prince Albert frock coat and vest, silk lined and faced, with a fine English trousering. \$30.

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NEWS OF THE WHEELMEN.

Kramer Is the Season's Champton, but Not at Short Distances.

It is not generally understood to what the championships won by points amount.
The National Cycling Association has followed the general plan in vogue with the
League of American Wheelmen, when it controlled racing. In the details the rules have been materially sitered and in a way that The N. C. A. rules for this year's work

provides that:

The professional short distance circuit champion-ship will be decided on this circuit by means of point scoring in a championship event to be included in the programme on each day of every meet. In such championships the winner shall be credited with four points second rider two points: third, one point. The distance of these championships shall be from a quarter mile to five miles, at the discretion of the promoter of the meet.

There may also be contested on the Grand Circuit, the quarter, third, half, mile, two and five-mile national championships, in which the winner will be credited with 5 points; second rider, 4 points; third, 2 points. These events will be awarded by the Hoard of Control among the meet promoters applying for them, precedence of application being observed, and in all these championships prizes lotating \$250 must be given. In all circuit championships and national championships only two starters chill be allowed to compete in a final, and only a winner of a heat shall qualify for a semi-final.

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The circuit championship has been decided, but there is a circuit meet to be run and the half-mile championship to be determined.

Frank L. Kramer has now won so many points that he cannot be beaten, and he is the champion of the season. The points won by Kramer include victories at different distances and at different places. He is the general champion, because in sprint races of all kinds he has performed better than any other man.

To-day the faithful few who have tried to save the national organization known as the Century Road Club from collapse will again make an heroic effort to run a century. Last week only the officials of the run put in appearance, although there were twenty-eight entries. Meanwhile the "hated rival-rode gavly away on a stormy morning with 210 performers out of an odd 400 entries. The fight between the old and the new is a bitter one, but thus far it has been lamentably weak on the part of the old.

NEWPORT, Sept. 21.—The finals in the Court Tennis Tournament at the Casine were played this morning and attracted a large gathering. The play was very exciting and it took four sets to decide the match. The cup was won by Charles E. Sands, who had allowed his opponent half of 30 and a bisque. The summary: C. E. Sands beat W. E. Glynn, 6—4, 6-3, 1-6, 9-7.

The Manhattan and Nelson Lodge Cricket Clubs were to have brought the champion-ship series of the Metropolitan District Cricket League to a conclusion yesterday. It being so late in the season, however, neither club coul get out a full team, and it was mutually decided to call the match of. decided to call the match off.

The Kings County Cricket Club played its return game in the championship series of the Prospect Park Cricket Association with the West Indians at the park yesterday and suffered defeat by three runs. The score: Kings County, 25 and 46; West Indians, \$1 and 41.

Gostp of the Ring.

According to a letter received in this city from San Francisco Solly Smith has been accused of 'tying down' in his recent till with Rid McFadden. In that encounter Smith was whipped in six rounds but those who saw the mill declare that the knockout was suspicious looking. McFadden says the fight was on the level and is ready to give Smith a return match.

Jim Burke of this city, who was taught all he knows about boxing by Charley Kelly, the local featherweight, wishes a fight with any good welter weight. Florrie Barnett has charge of Burke's affairs and says that the latter is a better pugills: than he was when in the lightweight division. Barnett is easer to clinch a match for his man with either 'Rube' Ferns, Matty Matthews or any other 142 pounder.

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Despite the fact that the question of weight has been settled, no match has been arranged as yet between Kid Parker and "Young Corbett." The latter is working hard to get on a match with Terry McGovern. He has written to two well-known managers of pugillists to represent him, but thus far nothing has resulted. Sam Harris, acting for McGovern, declares that Terry will not fight any one until he is through with Jack Roberts. Sam adds that this match has been arranged and will surely come off unless something unexpected should happen.

But Masterson, the well-known Western sportman and referee, is in town. Masterson has abandoned the prizering and is devoting his attention to horse racing. In a talk with a reporter of THE SUM Masterson said yesterday: "Pugilism is a dead letter all over the country just now, but I expect to see a revival. The coming maich between Ruhlin and leffries will help matters. The rest which boalor has had will do the game a lot of good. When it starts again the public will appreciate it all the better."

According to a letter received in this city from Meibourne, Peter Fells, the colored hearyweight champions ship of Australis by knecking out Mick Dooley in two rounds. The mill, which was for the title and a purse, took place at Meibourne on July 18. It is each that Fells will visit America and challenge some of the big men for a side bet and purse.

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